GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
WATER RESOURCES
LOK SABHA

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GANG CANAL IN RAJASTHAN
NIHAL CHAND CHAUHAN

Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Union Government have received any proposal from the State Government of Rajasthan regarding repair/modernisation of Gang canal in the State;

(b) if so, the estimated cost worked out by the Union Government for the purpose; and

(c) the time by which the canal is likely to be repaired/modernised?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (SMT. BIJOYA CHAKRAVARTY)

(a) to (c) A proposal for the modernization of Gang Canal System in Rajasthan (including Punjab portion) received in May, 1998 from the State Government was approved by the Planning Commission in September, 2000 at an estimated cost of Rs.445.79 crore (at 1998 price level). As per the proposal, the works of modernization are likely to be completed by the year 2007-2008.